

Tuesday, May 14, 1996

# Daily Digest

## Senate

### Chamber Action

*Routine Proceedings, pages S4985–S5024*

**Measures Introduced:** Four bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 1754–1757, and S. Res. 254. **Page S5004**

**Measures Reported:** Reports were made as follows: Reported on Monday, May 13, 1996, after the adjournment of the Senate:

S. Con. Res. 57, setting forth the congressional budget for the United States Government for fiscal years 1997, 1998, 1999, 2000, 2001, and 2002. (S. Rept. No. 104–271). **Page S5004**

**White House Travel Office/Former Employees:** Senate continued consideration of H.R. 2937, for the reimbursement of legal expenses and related fees incurred by former employees of the White House Travel Office with respect to the termination of their employment in that office on May 19, 1993, with the following amendments proposed thereto:

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Pending:

(1) Dole Amendment No. 3952, in the nature of a substitute. **Pages S4990–93**

(2) Dole Amendment No. 3953 (to Amendment No. 3952), to provide for an effective date for the settlement of certain claims against the United States. **Pages S4990–93**

(3) Dole Amendment No. 3954 (to Amendment No. 3953), to provide for an effective date for the settlement of certain claims against the United States. **Pages S4990–93**

(4) Dole Motion to refer the bill to the Committee on the Judiciary with instructions to report back forthwith. **Pages S4990–93**

(5) Dole Amendment No. 3955 (to the instructions to the motion to refer), to provide for an effective date for the settlement of certain claims against the United States. **Pages S4990–93**

(6) Dole Amendment No. 3961 (to Amendment No. 3955), to provide for the repeal of the 4.3 cent increase in fuel tax rates enacted by the Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act of 1993. **Pages S4990–93**

During consideration of this measure today, Senate took the following action:

By 54 yeas to 43 nays (Vote No. 112), three-fifths of those Senators duly chosen and sworn not having voted in the affirmative, Senate failed to agree to close further debate on Amendment No. 3961, listed above. **Page S4993**

**Congressional Budget:** A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing for the consideration of S. Con. Res. 57, setting forth the congressional budget for the United States Government for fiscal years 1997, 1998, 1999, 2000, 2001, and 2002, on Wednesday, May 15, 1996. **Page S5018**

**Messages From the President:** Senate received the following messages from the President of the United States:

Transmitting the report on the national emergency relative to nuclear, biological, and chemical weapons; referred to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs. (PM–143). **Page S5003**

Transmitting the report of one revised deferral of budgetary resources; which was referred jointly, pursuant to the order of January 30, 1975, as modified by the order of April 11, 1986, to the Committee on Appropriations, to the Committee on the Budget, and to the Committee on Foreign Relations. (PM–144). **Page S5003**

**Nominations Confirmed:** Senate confirmed the following nominations:

Vice Admiral James M. Loy, U.S. Coast Guard, to be Chief of Staff, United States Coast Guard, with the grade of vice admiral while so serving.

Vice Admiral Richard D. Herr, U.S. Coast Guard, to be Vice Commandant, United States Coast Guard, with the grade of admiral while so serving.

Vice Admiral Kent H. Williams, U.S. Coast Guard, to be Commander, Atlantic Area, United States Coast Guard, with the grade of vice admiral while so serving.

Rear Admiral Roger T. Rufe, Jr., U.S. Coast Guard, to be Commander, Pacific Area, United States Coast Guard, with the grade of vice admiral while so serving.

Routine lists in the Coast Guard. **Page S5018**

**Nominations Received:** Senate received the following nominations:

3 Navy nominations in the rank of admiral.

Routine lists in the Air Force. **Pages S5023–24**

**Messages From the President:** **Page S5003**

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**Additional Statements:** **Pages S5014–18**

**Record Votes:** One record vote was taken today. (Total–112) **Page S4993**

**Adjournment:** Senate convened at 10 a.m., and adjourned at 5:58 p.m., until 9:30 a.m., on Wednesday, May 15, 1996. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Majority Leader in today's Record on page S5018.)

## Committee Meetings

(Committees not listed did not meet)

### APPROPRIATIONS—NOAA

*Committee on Appropriations:* Subcommittee on Commerce, Justice, State, the Judiciary and Related Agencies held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1997 for the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, receiving testimony from D. James Baker, Under Secretary of Commerce for Oceans and Atmosphere.

Subcommittee will meet again tomorrow.

### APPROPRIATIONS—FOREIGN ASSISTANCE

*Committee on Appropriations:* Subcommittee on Foreign Operations held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1997 for foreign assistance programs, focusing on narcotics budget and strategy issues, receiving testimony from Barry R. McCaffrey, Director, White House Office of National Drug Control Policy.

Subcommittee will meet again on Thursday, May 16.

### BUSINESS MEETING

*Committee on Armed Services:* Committee ordered favorably reported 444 military nominations in the Army, Navy, Marine Corps, and Air Force.

Also, committee met to discuss certain provisions of proposed legislation authorizing funds for fiscal year 1997 for intelligence activities of the United States.

### AUTHORIZATION—FAA/AIP

*Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation:* Committee concluded hearings on proposed legisla-

tion authorizing funds for the Federal Aviation Administration and the Airport Improvement Program, after receiving testimony from David R. Hinson, Administrator, Anthony Broderick, Associate Administrator for Certification and Regulation, Susan Kurland, Associate Administrator for Airports, and Ellis Ohnstad, Manager of Program Guidance Branch, Financial Assistance Division, all of the Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation; Mayor Timothy G. Rich, Aberdeen, South Dakota; Edward A. Merlis, Air Transport Association of America, David Plavin, Airports Council International North America, both of Washington, D.C.; Chip Barclay, American Association of Airport Executives, Alexandria, Virginia; and Leonard Griggs, Lambert-St. Louis International Airport, St. Louis, Missouri.

### DOE LITIGATION COSTS

*Committee on Energy and Natural Resources:* Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations concluded oversight hearings to review the management and costs of class action lawsuits at Department of Energy facilities, including DOE's oversight of private firm attorneys and DOE's compliance with court orders directing the Department to provide documents relevant to the litigation, focusing on Rocky Flats and Hanford litigation, after receiving testimony from Victor S. Rezendes, Director, Energy, Resources, and Sciences Issues, Resources, Community, and Economic Development Division, General Accounting Office; and Robert R. Nordhaus, General Counsel, Marc Johnston, Deputy General Counsel for Litigation, and Lisa Schiavo-Blatt, Assistant General Counsel, all of the Department of Energy.

### NOMINATION

*Committee on Environment and Public Works:* Committee ordered favorably reported the nomination of Hubert T. Bell, Jr., of Alabama, to be Inspector General, Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

### GAMBLING IMPACT STUDY COMMISSION

*Committee on Governmental Affairs:* Committee ordered favorably reported, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute, S. 704, to authorize funds to establish the Gambling Impact Study Commission to study and report to the President and the Congress, all matters relating to the impact of gambling on States and possible alternative sources of State revenue.

### FALSE STATEMENTS PENALTY RESTORATION ACT

*Committee on the Judiciary:* Committee held hearings on S. 1734, to prohibit false statements to Congress

and to clarify congressional authority to obtain truthful testimony, and related proposals, receiving testimony from Senator Levin; Representative Martini; Robert S. Litt, Deputy Assistant Attorney General, Criminal Division, Department of Justice; Thomas B. Griffith, Legal Counsel, United States Senate; and Charles Tiefer, University of Baltimore Law School, Baltimore, Maryland.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

#### CHALLENGES OF THE ELDERLY

*Committee on Labor and Human Resources:* Subcommittee on Aging held hearings to examine the scope of challenges facing America's aging society, focusing on demographic trends confronting the nation as the baby boom generation moves toward retirement, and how well the nation is prepared to cope with these trends, receiving testimony from Robert J. Palacios,

Economist (Pensions), World Bank; Robert J. Myers, former Chief Actuary, Social Security Administration; C. Eugene Steuerle, Urban Institute, and Carolyn L. Weaver, American Enterprise Institute, both of Washington, D.C.; and David M. Walker, Arthur Andersen LLP, Atlanta, Georgia.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

#### WHITEWATER

*Special Committee to Investigate the Whitewater Development Corporation and Related Matters:* Committee resumed hearings to examine certain matters relative to the Whitewater Development Corporation, receiving testimony from Patricia Solis, Special Assistant to the President, and Director of Scheduling for the First Lady; and Susan Thomases, Wilkie, Farr & Gallagher, New York, New York.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

# House of Representatives

## Chamber Action

**Bills Introduced:** 9 public bills, H.R. 3448–3456; and 2 resolutions, H. Res. 433–434, were introduced. **Page H5052**

**Reports Filed:** Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 2297, to codify without substantive change laws related to transportation and to improve the United States Code, amended (H. Rept. 104–573); and

H.R. 3376, to authorize major medical facility projects and major medical facility leases for the Department of Veterans Affairs for fiscal year 1997, amended (H. Rept. 104–574). **Page H5051**

**Speaker Pro Tempore:** Read a letter from the Speaker, wherein he designates Representative Foley to act as Speaker, pro tempore for today. **Page H4903**

**Recess:** House recessed at 1:14 p.m. and reconvened at 2 p.m. **Page H4908**

**Suspensions:** House voted to suspend the rules and pass the following measures:

*Healthy Meals for Children:* H.R. 2066, amended, to amend the National School Lunch Act to provide greater flexibility to Schools to meet the Dietary Guidelines for Americans under the school lunch and school breakfast programs; **Pages H4910–13**

*Selma to Montgomery Trail:* H.R. 1129, amended, to amend the National Trails Systems Act to designate the route from Selma to Montgomery as a National Historic Trail; **Pages H4913–17**

*Goshute Indian Reservation:* H.R. 2464, to amend Public Law 103–93 to provide additional lands within the State of Utah for the Goshute Indian Reservation; **Pages H4917–18**

*Carbon Hill National Fish Hatchery:* H.R. 2982, to direct the Secretary of the Interior to convey the Carbon Hill National Fish Hatchery to the State of Alabama; **Page H4918**

*Uranium Mill Tailings Radiation:* H.R. 2967, amended, to extend the authorization of the Uranium Mill Tailings Radiation Control Act of 1978; and **Pages H4920–21**

*Absentee Ballots:* H.R. 3058, amended, to amend the Uniformed and Overseas Citizens Absentee Voting Act to extend the period for receipt of absentee ballots. **Pages H4921–22**

**Bills Re-referred:** H.R. 3387, to designate the Southern Piedmont Conservation Research Center located at 1420 Experimental Station Road in

Watkinsville, Georgia, as the “J. Phil Campbell, Senior Natural Resource Conservation Center”, which was referred to the Committee on Resources, was re-referred to the Committee on Agriculture. **Page H4913**

**Amagansett National Wildlife Refuge:** The House voted to suspend the rules and concur in the Senate amendment to H.R. 1836, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to acquire property in the town of East Hampton, Suffolk County, New York, for inclusion in the Amagansett National Wildlife Refuge—clearing the measure for the President. **Pages H4918–19**

**Water Resources Research:** The House voted to suspend the rules and concur in the Senate amendment to H.R. 1743, to amend the Water Resources Research Act of 1984 to extend the authorizations of appropriations through fiscal year 2000—clearing the measure for the President. **Pages H4919–20**

**Personal Privilege:** Representative Gunderson rose to a point of personal privilege and was recognized for one hour. **Pages H4922–25**

**Presidential Messages:** Read the following messages from the President:

*Weapons of Mass Destruction:* Message wherein he transmits his report on the national emergency declared by Executive Order No. 12938 of November 14, 1994, in response to the threat posed by the proliferation of nuclear, biological, and chemical weapons (“weapons of mass destruction”) and of the means of delivering such weapons—referred to the Committee on International Relations and ordered printed (H. Doc. 104–210); and **Page H4925**

*Budget and Impoundment Control Act:* Message wherein he transmits his report on one revised deferral of budgetary resources, totaling \$1.4 billion, affecting the International Security Assistance program—referred to the Committee on Appropriations and ordered printed (H. Doc. 104–211). **Page H4925**

**Department of Defense Authorization:** The House completed all general debate and began consideration of amendments to, H.R. 3230, to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 1997 for military activities of the Department of Defense and to prescribe military personnel strengths for fiscal year 1997. Consideration of amendments will resume on Wednesday, May 15. **Pages H4925–H5033**

**Agreed To:**

The Shays amendment that requires the President to seek increases in defense burden sharing by U.S. allies; provides authorities to the President to achieve

increases in burden sharing by U.S. allies; and requires the DOD to report on progress made by increasing allied burden sharing an alternative forward deployment configurations that would meet alliance requirements or U.S. national security interests (agreed to by a recorded vote of 353 ayes to 62 noes, Roll No. 168).

**Pages H5023–27**

The Spence en bloc amendment that increases funding for chemical weapons demilitarization research; authorizes additional \$10 million for development of field emission flat panel technology for M1 Tank Upgrade; requires competitive procedures for dual-use cost shared programs and mandates cooperative agreements when such shared programs are infeasible; clarifies language concerning development of an improved high altitude, low observable, unmanned aerial reconnaissance vehicle; provides that the President will certify to Congress whether or not the U.S. has the capability to prevent illegal importation of nuclear, biological, or chemical weapons; requires DOD to establish a natural resources assessment and training delivery system; provides DOD the authority to enter into cooperative agreements with State and local governmental agencies; clarifies Major Range and Test Facilities management constraints; allows a second opportunity to sign up for the mobilization Income Insurance Program for Guardsmen or Reservists; broadens military healthcare to include prostate and colon cancer screenings; codifies Congressional intent that the Monterey demonstration project was not to be delayed by regulatory requirements; permits transportation of health professionals engaged in the provision of humanitarian assistance; amends the foreign Assistance Act of 1961 to include excess property of the Coast Guard; requires the Secretary of Defense to develop uniform procedures for possible forfeiture of retired pay of members or former members of the uniformed services who willfully remain outside the U.S. to avoid criminal prosecution or civil liability; calls for the Army and FEMA to implement site-specific Integrated Product and Process Teams as a management tool of the Chemical Stockpile Emergency Preparedness Program; establishes a reporting requirement of all co-production deals between the U.S. and foreign countries; requires that violations of veterans' preferences in DOD hiring and promoting be treated as a prohibited personnel practice; sense of Congress calling on the President to impose the strongest sanctions available under U.S. law on Chinese companies involved in the export of military and industrial products, and sense of Congress regarding nuclear weapons proliferation and policies of the People's Republic of China; authorizes the transfer to the city of Vallejo, California of a nuclear submarine awaiting decommissioning in Pearl Harbor;

allows the Secretary of Defense to evaluate equipment used in the 1996 Olympic Games to determine whether it would be appropriate for use in digital, audio, and visual global broadcasting; limits the White House Communications Agency to providing telecommunications support to the President; and provides confirmation that the authority granted to convey property at Ft. Sheridan in the fiscal year 1996 Military Construction Act be ongoing pending the environmental remediation expected to be completed in fiscal year 1997.

**Pages H5027–33**

**Rejected:**

The DeLauro amendment that sought to reverse action taken last year which prohibited privately funded abortions for military women and dependents at overseas military hospitals (rejected by a recorded vote of 192 ayes to 225 noes, Roll No. 167).

**Pages H5013–22**

**Late Report:** Committee on the Budget received permission to have until midnight on Tuesday, May 14, to file a report on a concurrent resolution on the budget for fiscal year 1997. It was made in order that the House consider the concurrent resolution on Wednesday, May 15 under the following terms: the Speaker may declare the House resolved into the Committee on the Whole House on the state of the Union for consideration of the concurrent resolution; the first reading of the concurrent resolution shall be dispensed with; all points of order against consideration of the concurrent resolution shall be waived; general debate shall be confined to the congressional budget and shall not exceed three hours (including one hour on the subject of economic goals and policies) equally divided and controlled by the chairman and ranking minority member of the Committee on the Budget; after general debate the Committee shall rise without motion; and no further consideration of the concurrent resolution shall be in order except pursuant to a subsequent order of the House.

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**Referrals:** One Senate-passed measure was referred to the appropriate House committees.

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**Quorum Calls—Votes:** Two recorded votes developed during the proceedings of the House today and appear on pages H5021–22 and H5026–27. There were no quorum calls.

**Adjournment:** Met at 12:30 a.m. and adjourned at 11:36 p.m.

## *Committee Meetings*

### **USDA ADMINISTERED-INTRAMURAL AND EXTRAMURAL RESEARCH PROGRAMS**

*Committee on Agriculture:* Subcommittee on Resource Conservation, Research, and Forestry held a hearing

to review intramural and extramural research programs coordinated by the USDA. Testimony was heard from Catherine Woteki, Deputy Under Secretary, Research, Education, and Economics, USDA; and public witnesses.

#### LABOR-HHS-EDUCATION APPROPRIATIONS

*Committee on Appropriations*; Subcommittee on Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education held a hearing on Nobel Laureates. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Nobel Laureates Biomedical Research panel: Daniel Nathans, Johns Hopkins University; E. Donnall Thomas, Fred Hutchinson Cancer Research Center, Seattle, Washington; and Eric Wieschaus, Princeton University.

#### EFFECTS OF MINIMUM WAGE INCREASE

*Committee on Government Reform and Oversight*; Subcommittee on National Economic Growth, Natural Resources, and Regulatory Affairs held a hearing on the Effects of a Minimum Wage Increase. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

#### INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY ANTITRUST PROTECTION ACT

*Committee on the Judiciary*: Held a hearing on H.R. 2674, Intellectual Property Antitrust Protection Act of 1995. Testimony was heard from Bruce A. Lehman, Assistant Secretary and Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks, Patent and Trademark Office, Department of Commerce; Joel I. Klein, Principal Deputy Assistant Attorney General, Antitrust Division, Department of Justice; and public witnesses.

#### YEAR 2000 SOFTWARE PROBLEM

*Committee on Science*: Subcommittee on Technology held a hearing on Solving the Year 2000 Software Problem: Creating Blueprints for Success. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the SSA: Dean Mesterharm, Deputy Commissioner, Systems; and Kathleen M. Adams, Assistant Commissioner, Office Systems, Design and Development; Robert Hebner, Acting Deputy Director, National Institute of Standards and Technology, Department of Commerce; and public witnesses.

#### SMALL BUSINESS JOB PROTECTION ACT

*Committee on Ways and Means*: Ordered reported amended H.R. 3448, Small Business Job Protection Act of 1996.

tive collection and recycling or proper disposal of used nickel cadmium batteries, small sealed lead-acid batteries, and certain other batteries. Signed May 13, 1996. (P.L. 104-142)

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#### COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR WEDNESDAY, MAY 15, 1996

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

##### Senate

*Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry*, to hold hearings to examine how the Commodity Futures Trading Commission oversees markets in times of volatile prices and tight supplies, 9:30 a.m., SR-332.

*Committee on Appropriations*, Subcommittee on Interior, to hold hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1997 for the Department of the Interior, 9:30 a.m., SD-138.

Subcommittee on Defense, closed briefing on F-22, F-18 and Joint Strike Fighter Programs, 10 a.m., S-407, Capitol.

Subcommittee on Commerce, Justice, State, and the Judiciary, to hold hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1997 for the National Institute of Standards and Technology, Department of Commerce, 10 a.m., S-146, Capitol.

Subcommittee on Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, to hold hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1997 for the Department of Health and Human Services, 2 p.m., SD-192.

Subcommittee on Commerce, Justice, State, and the Judiciary, to hold hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1997 for the Bureau of the Census, Department of Commerce, 2 p.m., S-146, Capitol.

Subcommittee on Treasury, Postal Service, and General Government, to hold hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1997 for the Executive Office of the President and the Office of Personnel Management, 2 p.m., SD-138.

*Committee on Foreign Relations*, Subcommittee on African Affairs, to hold hearings to update United States policy towards Nigeria, 2 p.m., SD-G50.

*Committee on Governmental Affairs*, Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations, to hold hearings to examine Russian organized crime in the United States, 9:30 a.m., SD-342.

*Committee on the Judiciary*, to hold hearings to examine issues relative to combatting violence against women, 10 a.m., SD-226.

*Committee on Rules and Administration*, to resume hearings on proposals to amend the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971 to provide for a voluntary system of spending limits and partial public financing of Senate primary and general election campaigns, to limit contributions by multicandidate political committees, and to reform the financing of Federal elections and Senate campaigns, 10 a.m., SR-301.

*Special Committee To Investigate Whitewater Development Corporation and Related Matters*, to continue hearings to

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#### NEW PUBLIC LAWS

(For last listing of Public Laws, see DAILY DIGEST, p. D435)

H.R. 2024, to phase out the use of mercury in batteries and provide for the efficient and cost-effec-

examine certain issues relative to the Whitewater Development Corporation, 10 a.m., SH-216.

### House

*Committee on Agriculture*, Subcommittee on Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry and the Subcommittee on Risk Management and Specialty Crops, joint hearing to consider issues raised by a recently released study of trading practices and procedures on the National Cheese Exchange, 9:30 a.m., 1300 Longworth.

*Committee on Appropriations*, Subcommittee on Commerce, Justice, State, and the Judiciary, on Secretary of State, 10 a.m., 2360 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on the District of Columbia, hearing on the D.C. Fiscal Year 1997 Budget Request, 1 p.m., 2362 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, on Members of Congress, 10 a.m. and 2 p.m., 2358 Rayburn.

*Committee on Commerce*, to mark up H.R. 3005, Securities Amendments of 1996, 10 a.m., 2123 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on Energy and Power, oversight hearing on Electricity Regulation: A Vision for the Future, 11 a.m., 2322 Rayburn.

*Committee on Government Reform and Oversight*, hearing on H.R. 3078, Federal Agency Anti-Lobbying Act, 9:30 a.m., 2154 Rayburn.

*Committee on International Relations*, to mark up H. Con. Res. 154, to congratulate the Republic of China on Tai-

wan on the occasion of its first Presidential democratic election; and to hold a hearing on the History of Armenian Genocide, 10 a.m., 2172 Rayburn.

*Committee on the Judiciary*, Subcommittee on the Constitution, hearing on H.R. 3396, Defense of Marriage Act, 1:30 p.m., 2226 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on Courts and Intellectual Property, to mark up the following: relating to PTO Government Corporation, Reexamination of Patents, Publication of Patent Applications, Prior Domestic User Rights, Patent Reexamining Reform, and Investor Protection Rights; relating to Copyright Protection in the Digital Arena, Music Licensing and Copyright Term Extension; and H.R. 359, to restore the term of patents, 10 a.m., 2141 Rayburn.

*Committee on Resources*, oversight hearing on U.S. Fish and Wildlife activities and the Migratory Bird Treaty Act, 11 a.m., 1324 Longworth.

*Committee on Rules*, to consider the Concurrent Resolution on the Budget for Fiscal Year 1997, 2 p.m., H-313 Capitol.

*Committee on Small Business*, hearing on small businesses and entry-level employment opportunities, with emphasis on the minimum wage and other proposals for increasing entry-level employment opportunities, 10 a.m., 2359 Rayburn.

*Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence*, executive, hearing on Small Satellites, 2 p.m., H-405 Capitol.

*Next Meeting of the SENATE*

9:30 a.m., Wednesday, May 15

## Senate Chamber

**Program for Wednesday:** Senate will begin consideration of S. Con. Res. 57, setting forth the congressional budget.

*Next Meeting of the HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES*

9 a.m., Wednesday, May 15

## House Chamber

**Program for Wednesday:** House will meet at 9 a.m. and recess immediately to receive former Members of Congress;

Reconvene at 10 a.m. to complete consideration of H.R. 3230, the National Defense Authorization Act;

Consideration of H. Res. 303, providing for consideration of the bill, H.R. 1745, to designate certain public lands in the State of Utah as wilderness; and

Consideration of H. Con. Res. 179, the Budget Resolution for Fiscal Year 1997 (general debate).

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